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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

In re Applications of)	MM DOCKET NO. 93-56
C. DEVINE MEDIA, INC.	File No. BRH-900604YE
For Renewal of License of Station KBER-FM, Ogden, Utah	
STREET STRYDER)	File No. BRH-900601A3
For Renewal of License of) Station KQOL-FM,) Spanish Fork, Utah)	•

To: Administrative Law Judge

John M. Frysiak

MASS MEDIA BUREAU'S BRIEF REGARDING STATUS OF NOTICE OF FORFEITURE IN THE EVENT OF DISTRESS SALE

1. At the June 17, 1993, prehearing conference in the above-captioned proceeding, the Presiding Judge asked the Mass Media Bureau to submit a statement regarding the status of a notice of forfeiture included in the Hearing Designation Order

whose renewal applications have been designated for hearing on basic qualifications issues cannot be transferred. See Jefferson Radio Company v. FCC, 340 F.2d 781, 783 (D.C. Cir. 1964). One exception to this rule allows such a transfer, before hearing, to a qualified minority at a distress sale price. Statement of Policy on Minority Ownership of Broadcast Facilities, 68 FCC 2d 979 (1978). Because a distress sale has the effect of terminating the proceeding before a hearing, any basic qualifying

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this proceeding without hearing, the forfeiture notice in the HDO should be referred to the Commission for further action. would have the effect of notifying the Commission that the issues

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Michelle C. Mebane, a secretary in the Hearing Branch Mass Media Bureau, certifies that she has, on this 24th day of June, 1993, sent by regular United States mail, U.S. Government frank, copies of the foregoing "Mass Media Bureau's Brief Regarding Status of Notice of Forfeiture in the Event of Distress Sale" to:

